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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
AND PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed March 9, 2005 in connection with the above-identified application wherein, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 121, the

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Examiner restricted the prosecution of the application to one of the following three claim groups:

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| Group I | Claims 1-9, drawn to a housing with adjustable light source, classified in class 362, subclass 372; |
| Group II | Claims 10-16, drawn to housing with a bracket mounting means, classified in class 362, subclass 370; or |
| Group III | Claims 17-20, drawn to housing carrying a printed circuit board and connector, classified in class 206, subclass 706. |

The Examiner maintains that the groups are related as subcombinations disclosed as usable together in a single combination, which subcombinations are distinct from each other if they are shown to be separately usable. For this reason, the Examiner finds that restriction to one claim group is proper for examination purposes.

The invention of Group I as represented by claims 1-9 is hereby elected without traverse.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Assignee herewith petitions that the period for response to the Office Action be extended for one month, to and including May 9, 2005. A

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fee of \$120.00 for this extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1) accompanies this petition. If any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-0855.

Respectfully submitted,



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